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The petition filed on examiner for consideration on the merits.	under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is granted.	The paper has been forwarded to the		
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∑ The amendment filed on Feb 23, 200	O under 37 CFR 1.312 has been	considered, and has been:		
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entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention (Order 3311).				
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*****The petition under R	ule 84 (a), for the inclusion of co	olor drawings, is GRANTED.		

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